NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In re application of: Mauri SAKSIO Group Art Unit: 2616 Serial No.: 10/721,511 Filed: November 26, 2003 Atty. Docket No.: 060279.00071 For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMPLEMENTING A FAST RECOVERY PROCESS IN A LOCAL AREA NETWORK Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 29, 2008 Sir: Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated May 29, 2008 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-5, 7-14, and 16-20. The item(s) checked below are appropriate: A petition for an extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on for month(s). 2. A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411. 3. Fee \$540.00 Small Entity \$270.00 or \boxtimes Check No. 19869 is enclosed. Charge to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222. An additional copy of this Notice is enclosed. In the event that this paper is not considered to be timely filed, applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper. SQUIRE, SANDERS & DEMPSEY LLP Signature (Rule 191(b)) . . . Majid S. AlBassam Reg. No.: 54,749 **Customer Number 32294** SOUIRE, SANDERS & DEMPSEY LLP 10/30/2008 AKONDAF1 00000141 10721511 8000 Towers Crescent Drive, 14th Floor Vienna, Virginia 22182-6212 82 FC:1481 540.00 OP Telephone: 703-720-7800

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